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REPORTED MURDER.

Of Will Shaw, of Paducah, on the Chattanooga.

Shipped as a Rouster Thursday-Unconfirmed.

A report gained wide-spread circulation today to the effect that Will Shaw, a Paducah man, had been killed on board the towboat Chattanooga a day or two ago up the Ten-

member of the local colored band. department prevented one of the lake place here this afternon. The most disastrous fires in the history of remains will be taken to Bowling Chattanoogs, together with several the city. Part of the wall of the Green for interment. Judge Hines other Paducah men, for the Tennes- City National bank building, the up- was a Captain in Gen. John Morsee river, after a tow of ties. The per floors of which were burned in gan's brigade during the civil war, boat is supposed to now be up some- the fire of January 1, fell over on the and one of the most daring and suerousters got into a fight, and Shaw office was mashed in, the stove was killed by Oseby. This is all that turness over and the ure resulted, is known of it. The boat is expected completely gutting the building. H. back this week.

DAVE REED

And How His Spree Came Near Being His Death.

Shot Saturday By Mrs. Cal Wag- ered by insurance. The insurance on the Herbert building is \$4,000.

Dave Reed, better known as "Curran," is in the county jail with a dangerous wound in his right breast. He was shot Saturday night shortly before 10 o'clock by Mrs. Cal Waggoner, who resides on Monroe street, between Second and Third. Mr. Waggoner runs a shooting gallery on Broadway, back of Lang's drug store, and does not reach home early

on Saturday. The negro went to Mr. Waggoner's and pressed against the door, He was ordered to leave by Mrs. Waggoner, who was alone with her littie daughter, but refused. Mrs. Waggoner then fired three shots from many friends of the couple, was on rendered unconcious in an instant.

a 38-calibre pistol, one of which account of a recent death in the family an extremely quiet affair. The left and was subsequently found conleft and was subsequently found coucealed behind the boilers at the Gas works, where he is employed as fire- Willard. man. He was taken to the lockup, but subsequently, on account of ominous signs and threats on the streets, transferred to the county

Reed is well known in Paducah, and has worked here for years. Until Saturday he was never known to molest any one, especially a white person, his principal fault being getting too much whisky. He claims he was so drunk he didn't know where he was, but Mrs. Waggoner, in the opinion of all, did right in

Reed was reported at the jail this afternoon as unimproved.

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The Warship Maine Starts for the Island of Cuba Immediately.-What Does

It Mean-

Congressman Evans Will Not En dorse Geo. Todd for Surveyor of Port at

Louisville,

Washington, Jan. 24-The war ship Maine has been ordered to pro-ceed to Havana at once. Secretary of War, Long, says that the mission of the ship is peaceful. Nevertheless rumors by the hundred fill the air and it is believed by many that intervention by this government will soon take place.

OFF FOR HAVANA.

United States Cruisers Leave lacksonville in Haste.

Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 24. - United States cruisers sailed for Havans in great haste last night, and great excitement prevails over rumors of violence to Consul General Lee and other Americans.

WIND AND FLAMES

at Cairo Narrow Escape Illinois-

Building Blown In, Followed By

where about Sheffield. The report building of Louis Herbert, occupied cessful officers in that famous comwas that Shaw and several other as a soda water and beer depot. The mand. in, and he barely escaped with his life. The Western Union office adjoined the burned building and Manager Clark got out his instruments at once, as it seemed that the block could not be saved. Uncle Joe's Hotel, next to the Herbert building, is damaged to the extent of a few hundred dollars, which is fully cov-

DR. TALMAGE MARRIED.

Noted Divine, Wedded to Mr. Elmore McCutchen Collier. of Allegheny, Pa.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 24 .- Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage, the noted divine of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Elmore McCutcheon Collier, of Allegheny City, were united in marriage Saturday at the McCutcheon residence, escape Saturday night in the freight 47 Irvin avenue. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. J. Robinson, stack, and with it several wires. The D. D., pastor of the First United engine ran over the wire and ground Presbyterian church. The wedding, the insulation off. Mr. Tabscott which came as a great surprise to the subsequently stepped on it, and was only guest outside of Mrs. Talmage's he was soon revived. He received immediate relatives was Dr. L. H. 1100 volts, according to the doctor.

Mrs. Talmage is the daughter of the late James McCutcheon, of the big iron firm, Lindsay & McCutcheon. She was the widow of Charles W. Collier, only son of Judge F. H. To Work the Well at Uniontown, Collier. She is forty years old, while her husband celebrated his sixtysixth birthday several months ago,

Mr. and Mrs. Talmage met during the past two summers at East Hampton, a Long Island resort, where the romantic courtship which culminated five months ago in a formal engagement was carried on. The engage-ment was kept a profound secret, and it was only within the past few days that Mrs. Talinage's most intimate friends were apprised of the coming

The present Mrs. Talmage is the gentleman's third wife. his second wife having died several vears ago.

Killed By a Posse.

son last night and wounded Jim Pryor, was surrounded in a house in the country several miles from Augusta Saturday and while resisting arrest was shot to death.

CAUGHT IN THE FLOOD.

Doctor's Horse Breaks Away From Buggy, and He Swims Ashore.

Cynthiana, Ky., Jan. 24.—Dr. J.

H. Vanderen while going to administer aid to the sick in the Sycamore district, this county, Saturday, had to cross the Sycamore Creek, which was swollen from the heavy rain that fell all day. While in the middle of the stream the horse became unman-

ageable and broke lose from the buggy. The doctor had to swim to the shore, and had a very narrow escape from drowning. Farmers came to his rescue, and with ropes managed to anchor the buggy, after it had been badly damaged.

WATSON MAY GET IT.

Rumor That Ex-Congressman Will Succeed Butterworth.

Columbus, O., Jan. 24.—A per-sistent rumor has it that ex-Congressman D. K. Watson is to be appointed commissioner of patents to succeed
Major Butterworth. General Watson
is not here tonight, but it was discovered that he intends to go to Washington today.

GLEARS FOR KLONDIKE.

First Vessel To Depart Sails From Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 24 .- The Klondike gold district cleared Saturday. She is the once famous pilot they can not do it. boat, Thomas F. Bayard. She will go via Cape Horn and the Straits of the invitation to ad Magellan. Ascending the Yukon as the invitation to address the legisla- disconcaging that one or two indusfar as navigable, a settlement will be ture and will do so some time next tries are lagging. made and a sawmill erected. A month. transportation line will be started to trade up and down the Yukon River. today reported favorably and will

EVANS REFUSES.

For Surveyor of Port.

washington, Jan. 24.—Hon. Wal-er Evans, of Louisville, refuses to en-state guard. "It is the last time, at lorse ex-Mayor Todd for surveyor of least in this generation," he said, port, at Louisville. This will proba-bly put an end to Todd's aspirations and the legislature should show the

DEATH OF JUDGE HINES.

Decurred Yesterday At His Home In Frankfort.

A reporter undertook to trace the report to an authenic source, but it was impossible. Shaw is a well known young colored man, and a member of the local colored band. Last week he shipped about a board the

SUPPRESSED EXCITEMENT

Quiet is Reported at Havana.

Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 24. - The commander of the naval station at Key West received a message from Gen. Lee yesterday afternoon. He she was a domestic. The girl was s safe, the city is quiet, but there is about 19 years of age, and had been suppressed excitement in the Amercan colony.

1100 VOLTS,

Close Call of an Illinois Central Employe.

Stepped on a Live Wire Saturday death.

Mr. T. E. Tabscott, hostler at the Illinois Central shops, had a narrow Yesterday he was able to leave.

OIL COMPANY FORMED

Union County.

A decisive movement will be made here in a short time toward ascertaining the wealth of the immense natural oil fields underlying Uniontown, says the Uniontown Telegram. A home company has at last been returned forty-four indictments, sev formed with a stiff and substantial eral of which are against dru gist backing, and something of material for selling cocaine. benefit to Uniontown will be enacted At a mass meeting of citizens of here in regard to this matter in a Shelby county it was decided to apshort while. Mr. A. C. Chapman, point a committee to formulate a plan of Findley, Ohio, contractor and for free turnpikes, builder of oil and gas wells, is due Spanish soldiers have taken posses-in this city now. He comes for the sion of the village of Esperanza, the purpose of endeavoring to obtain the headquarters of the rebel governwell. This important movement on caped, but the government buildings the part of influential citizens inter- were burned. Augusta, Ga., Jan. 24.-Arthur ested is a certainty, and as Mr. Jennings, who assassinated Joe Brin- Chapman will arrive here today or tomorrow a decisive action will taken in the matter at once.

MARKETS.

Reported by the Lacy Grain Co. May wheat opened at 92%, highest 93%, lowest 92%, closed at 93%-56 Corn opened at 29, highest 29%

lowest 28 %, closed at 29. Oats opened at 23%, highest 23%,

COURSE HE WILL COME.

Bryan Will Address the Kentucky Legislature Some Time Next Month by Invitation.

The Anti-School Book Trust Bill Favorably Reported,-Other Notes of the Legisla-

but could do nothing. The silverfirst vessel to leave this port for the ites are determined to pass this resolution, but it is very evident that

Hop. Wm. J. Bryan has accepted

The anti-school book trust bill was probably be passed.

oig demonstration of Kentuckians Will Not Endorse George Todd upon the occasion of the christening of the battleship Kentucky. He thinks the legislature should attend Rescu | From Backwater By Mr. for that position, if indeed he is ac-tually a candidate. ficient appropriation to send enough troops there to make a creditable display. The legislature by all means night to attend, as only one legislative day would be missed. A special train for the governor and staff and the legislature would leave Frankfort

SUDDEN DEATH

Morning.

Miss Mollie Keithley died suddenly this forenoon about 11 o'clock at 705 South Eleventh street, where complaining, according to reports. for several days of being ill. This morning she died without warning.

Coroner Phelps was called, and this afternoon at 3 o'clock was holding an inquest over the remains. The William Goebel, Kenton; C. Stegs, of girl's home is said to be Mayfield, Louis and heart failure no doubt caused her

WANTS A DIVORCE.

Fedora Irwin Alleges Cruel Treat-

Fedora Irwin this afternoon filed suit for divorce against her husband, Lewis Irwin. She alleges cruel and nhuman treatment; that he choked. beat and bruised her.

Death at the Hospital. Mattie Miller, aged 26, died thi afternoon at the city hospital.

NEWS NOTES.

Representatives of a Pittsburg company have struck a rich flow lubri cating oil at Blaine, Ky, Three well-known Frankfort citi-

zens-Judge Thomas H. Hines, Dr. J. Q. A. Stewart and Mr. Osear Farmer-are at the point of death. The Shelby county grand jury has

contract for boring the proposed oil ment. The insurgent officials es-

Collector Franks, of the Second district, denies that he has formulated any plan to evade civil service rules. but says he will put in republicans wherever possible. The state of Kentucky, by its at-

torney general, W. S. Taylor, has filed suit against the C. and O. Rail way company at Paintsville for unlawful discrimination. Half a million dollars stock and bonds of the Avondale Cotton Mills.

The House foreign affairs committee has favorably reported the esolution calling for information in the Luiz case. The House agreed to the Senate amendment to the bill requiring depositors of bullion to pay transportation costs.

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A statement prepared by the assigner shows the liabilities of the Kentuky Trust company to be \$152.219, while the nominal assets are \$119,295.89. It exposes Vice President Reinecke's methods of jugglery and the "rotten" condition of the company.

Bra street's weekly review of trade

says: "A large measure of activity

in business and industrial lines, with,

in some instances, previous records seed, and very general steadssurposed, and very general steads-ness is prices of staples, is perhaps the most notable feature of the trade situation this week. The industrial situation, with the single Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 24.—Representative Sanders again tried to call up the Lindsay resignation resolution but could do nothing. The silver. a volume of business remarkable for the the of year-38 per cent. larger than a year ago, and 10.4 per cent. larger than in 1892 in payments through the clearing houses-it is not

THEIR BOAT SWAMPED.

The K rrow Escape of Four Men Gov. Bradley is anxious to have a Yesterday.

> 'Tis an Old Saying, but Still 'Tis True Lum Coteman.

Con eter Lum Coleman saved from a watery grave in the our m r out near the stock yard afternoon.

boat swamped and precipi- It has, and always will be, our aim to save our customers every cent we possibly can by selling m into the water. The only bing a arby was a tree, and all four e branches with desperate Their cries of distress were Mr. Coleman, who was at yard. He rushed down to 's edge and saw that quick

boys were rowing near the a "john-boat." This be and pulled out to the rapdly scakening strangers. Each egged aim piteously to take him to dry fand first. "Take me first! take res first!" was what they all saig. One was standing on the sub- goods to twenty years ago still hang on to us. We hold them by selling good goods and sticking up to merger half bouyant boat, while he what we say. Come in to see us. Of Miss Mollie Keithley This graspe, the bate tip of a limb nearby. hold out much longer, and Mr. Cole-man rescued him first, He then Herbert building when the wall fell Among Americans in Cuba, But Coroner Phelps Called to Hold an went back after the others one at a many. The water was eighteen feet deep where the accident occured. Mr. Coleman learned two of the

Rich Legislators.

men's names, Bethel and Brannon.

There are some rich men in the general assembly of Kentucky. The aggregate wealth of the following eight members is estimated at \$2,000. dead and another was that she died | 000: John T. Hinton, of Bourbon; W. H. [Cook, of Warren; Waller Sharp, of Bath; C. J. Bronston, of Favelte; J. M. Thomas, of Bourbon; ville, and H. G. Petree, or

Mr. John T. Hinton is reputed to and will loan money on be the wealthiest member, while it is said that none of the eight falls under \$100,000, and the average is \$250,-Several of them are the most clive opponents of corporations and trusts that can be found in the legis ature, or even in the state.

Eight or ten other members are reuted to be worth from \$25,000 to \$75,000, and possibly one or two of them would reach \$100,000.

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